



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Harman International  
Industries,  
Incorporated

Title: TWO-STAGE PHASING  
PLUG SYSTEM IN A  
COMPRESSION DRIVER

Serial No.: 09/921,149

Inventor(s): Douglas J. Button, et al

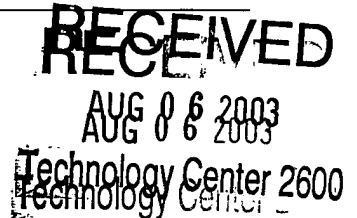
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP RCE  
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due of May 1, 2003, please amend the  
above-captioned application, for which an RCE is filed herewith, as set forth below.

An **Amendment to Attorney Docket Number** begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page  
3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 13 of this paper.

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**Amendment to the Attorney Docket Number**

Please change the attorney docket number in this application as follows:

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